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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of**

Asai et al.

**Serial No.:** 10/068,895

**Group Art Unit:** 2162

**Filing Date:** February 11, 2002

**Examiner:** Cam Y T. Truong

**For:** DATABASE SYSTEM

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313 - 1450

**APPLICANTS' INTERVIEW SUMMARY**

Applicants appreciate the courtesies extended to Applicants' representative during a telephone interview on July 12, 14, 18, and 24, 2006.

During the telephone interviews the Examiner suggested to, Applicant's representative to amend claims 1 and 28 by adding claim 2 into independent claims 1 and 28 to put all of the claims in condition for allowance. Applicant will consider the same.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees or to credit any overpayment in fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

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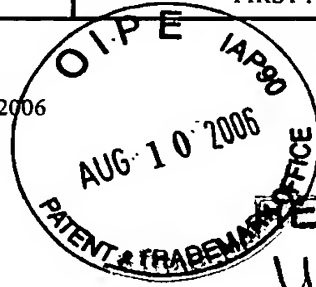


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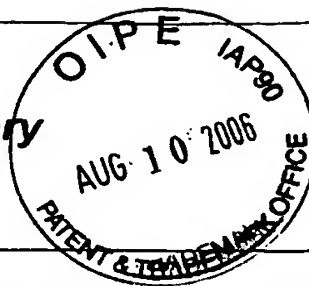
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**Interview Summary**

Application No.

10/068,895

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Cam Y T. Truong.

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(2) Sean M. McGinn (Attorney).

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Date of Interview: 12 July 2006.Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.  
If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.Claim(s) discussed: 1, 2, and 28.

Identification of prior art discussed: \_\_\_\_\_.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's representative will amend claims 1 and 28 by adding claim 2 into independent claims 1 and 28 to put claims in condition for allowance.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

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